दूरसंचार सर्किलों को यह निदेश जारी किए गए हैं कि वे तीन महीने के अंतराल पर एस.टी.डी. कोड की सूची को अद्यतन बनायें और इसे अपने अधिकार-क्षेत्र के अंतर्गत आने वाले सभी तारघरों को भेजें ।

Lending of Unaccounted Money to Small Scale Units

@1966. SHRI P. UPENDRA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Federation of Association of Small Industries of India has suggested to Government to float a scheme, under which individuals and firms could lend their unaccounted money to the small-scale units; and

(b) if so, the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) and (b) A suggestion to this effect has been received. There is no proposal to float a scheme for attracting black money to the small scale units, for the present.

Negative impact of W. B. Assistance on Indian Private Enterprise

1967. DR. SANJAYA SINH: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the World Bank assistance totalling 20 billion dollars from 1951 to 1989 has harmed the country's private enterprise according to a new study as referred in the news item entitled 'WB aid has stifled private initiative' which appeared in the Hindustan Times' dated the 30th June, 1992;

(b) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what is the reaction of Government thereto?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) to (c) The news item mentioned in the Question refers to a study on World Bank assistance to India. Numerous Institutes conduct studies which are not referred to Government of India and it is not, therefore, possible to comment on the same. However, as far as World Bank's assistance to India between 1951 to 1989 is concerned, the same has been committed for a large number of development projects in different sectors consistent with national policies and priorities.

Foreign Capital Investment in India

1968. SHRI KRISHAN LAL SHARMA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) what is the break up of foreign capital invested in the country during the years 1990, 1991 and 1992 so far;

(b) whether Government are aware that some foreign investors are of the view that the recent reforms are too late and too little; and

(c) if so, what steps Government propose to take in this direction?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI RAMESHWAR THAKUR): (a) According to the Reserve Bank of India, data on actual foreign investment in the country is available only up to 1990. In the following table, actual data on foreign investment for 1990 is given. Data for 1991 and January-April, 1992 is on the basis of approvals given.

@Previously Unstarred Question 796, transferred from the 16th July, 1992.

(Rs. in crores)

Year	NRIs		Non-NRIs	Total
	Repatriable	Non-Repatriable		
1990	181·7	39·4	102·3	323·4
1991	207·1	7·0	534·1	748·2
1992£ (Jan-April)	181·6	1·3	1004·4	1187·3

£ Approvals

(b) and (c) It is evident from the trend of approvals given for foreign collaborations after the recent reforms, that the measures taken by the Government have been well received by the foerign investors.

Proposal to raise insurance cover Limit for Bank Depositors

1969. SHRI PRAMOD MAHAJAN: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal under Government's consideration to raise the Insurance Cover Limit for bank depositors above rupees 30,000 after the experience of bank of Karad Limited;

(b) if so ,what are the details thereof; and

(c) if not, what are the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) No Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) The existing limit provides full protection to over 90 per cent of the total number of depositors.

Former MPs letter to Finance Minister on Misuse of Bank Receipts by Brokers

1970. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a former Member of Parliament Shri Shantilal P. Patel had addressed a letter on October 9, 1990 to the then Finance Minister detailing how some brokers were raising funds through bogus Bank Receipts and also sould and purchased large quantity of shares and securities of a particular company with help of Bank of Karad;

(b) if so, what are the names of brokers mentioned in the letter;

(c) whether it is also a fact that many of the people who have figured in the recent bank scam had already been mentioned in the letter; and

(d) if so, whether any steps were taken by the then Finance Minister to check the misuse of bogus Bank Receipts?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI DALBIR SINGH): (a) to (d) Since the matter relates to October, 90, the information is being ascertained is being ascertained.

Diversion of Credit Advanced by Bank of Karad

1971. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA: Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the Bank of Karad had advanced a credit of Rs. 50 crore to M/s. Dhanraj Mills Ltd., a sick company belonging to Mr. T. B. Ruiya; and

(b) if so, whether this money was then diverted to Mr Manu Maneklal for speculative buying in the stock market?